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### Coming Paramount Attractions at the STAR THEATRE

Madame Petrova, in "My Madonna." Metro.  
Geraldine Farrar, in "Carmen."  
Blanche Sweet, in "The Secret Sin."  
Blanche Ring, in "The Yankee Girl."  
Hazel Dawn, in "The Masqueraders."  
Marguerite Clark, in "Still Waters."  
Mary Pickford, in "Madame Butterfly."  
Charles Cherry, in "The Mummy and the Humming Bird."  
Pauline Frederick, in "Bella Donna."

### AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT

Bijou  
"The Raven."  
Star  
"Final Judgment."

### COMING EVENTS

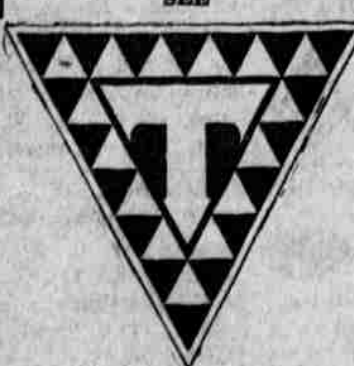
April 1, Saturday—Cooked food sale at the public market, given by the ladies of M. E. church south. 709  
April 1, Saturday—Music club juvenile recital in Commercial club room at 8 p. m.  
May 9, Tuesday—Opening day of State Grange at Grants Pass.

### VANCOUVER JUSTICE

#### HAS A BUSY DAY

Vancouver, Wash., Mar. 29.—Establishing what is believed to be a record in administering justice, Judge Black yesterday dismissed 49 cases, considered many motions, sentenced five men and women who had pleaded guilty to petty charges, and wiped off the slate all cases in which interested attorneys did not put in appearance.

### ONE ADVANTAGE OF LIVING IN A SMALL TOWN. YOU CAN SEE



TRIANGLE PLAYS  
at 10c and 15c

In New York, Chicago, Philadelphia and Boston you absolutely can not see them for less than \$2.00.

**At the BIJOU**

Thursday, Sunday and Monday

## PERSONAL AND LOCAL

Mrs. Belle Munson and baby left this morning for their home at Etna Mills, Cal., after visiting Mrs. Munson's mother, Mrs. James Eades.

Mrs. B. F. Shoemaker, who spent a day with Mrs. R. I. Helm, left this morning for her home at Hood River. New cane poles, 20-foot, 25c each, at Cramer Bros. 707

Frank Orr and Geo. Scott, who spent several days in the city, returned to Rogue River this afternoon.

Mrs. Emma Burke, who spent three weeks with the Henry Hudson family at Selma, returned to Medford this afternoon.

Vernon Lewis, after spending a week on more with relatives and friends, left this morning for Bremerton and will be stationed on the training ship Philadelphia.

D. B. Reynolds of the Forest service, went to Leland this morning to make some changes on the forest service telephone line running into the Leland central.

N. O. Noben, who spent 10 days with his daughter, Mrs. R. J. Bestul, left this morning for his home at Tacoma, but will stop for a time at Portland.

New cane poles, 20-foot, 25c each, at Cramer Bros. 707

Clark and Helene Storey, and Ethel and Arthur Tanner of Wolf Creek, returning from a visit at Medford, stopped off this morning to visit Miss Ethel McAllister.

Mrs. Clara Seaman and son arrived this morning from Eugene with the intention of making their home at Selma. Mrs. Seaman is a sister of Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. Frost, and Curt and Henry Hudson, of Selma.

Mrs. A. A. Whitman arrived last night from Oakland, Cal., to join her husband here, and when repairs to their residence are completed they will be at home on A street at Tenth. A daughter, now in Portland, will arrive here later.

### PORTLAND BEARS FIGHT DUEL TO THE DEATH

Portland, Mar. 29.—The carcass of a large black bear, with its back broken, lying in the den at the city zoo early today told the story of a desperate struggle which was the culmination of two years' rivalry between the black bear and a big cinnamon bear for supremacy in the bear pit. The black animal was killed by being tossed off a platform on which the fight occurred.

### CONDEMNED MAN WOULD TELL OF PLOTS IN U. S.

Washington, Mar. 29.—Franz von Rintelen, held for execution in London as a German spy, today communicated with the United States government, offering to return and tell all he knows about anti-ally plots. In that way he hopes to save his life. Great Britain has so far refused to release him from the Tower of London, where he is under sentence of death.

### LAMBS ARE NOW WORTH \$13 PER HUNDRED POUNDS

Portland, Mar. 29.—The first spring lambs of the season arrived at the stock yards today and were quickly sold for \$13 per 100 pounds. This smashes all previous records for high lamb prices.

**Some Shakespeare Statistics.**  
There are 106,007 lines in Shakespeare and 814,780 words.

The longest play is "Hamlet." It has 3,930 lines.

The shortest is the "Comedy of Errors," with 1,777 lines.

The number of characters is 1,277, of which 157 are females.

The longest part of any character is that of Hamlet, who has 11,610 words to deliver.

The part with the longest word in it is that of Gostard in "Love's Labor Lost," who tells Moth that he is "not so long by the head as honorificabilitudinitatibus."—Richmond Times-Dispatch

### UPLIFTING.

One thing is plain—namely, that the person who lays open his doubts and distresses in prayer with feeling and sincerity must necessarily, in the act of doing so, purify his mind from the dross of worldly passions and interests and bring it into that state where the resolutions adopted are likely to be respected rather than from a sense of duty than from any inferior motive.—Walter Scott.

**You—**  
Go to the union revival tonight.

### New Auto Agency—

Don Jolley has established a local agency for the sale of the Saxon 6 automobile, his headquarters being at the Grants Pass garage.

### Union Revival—

A very large audience attended the Baptist church last night. Mrs. A. N. Parsons and A. H. Marsh sang solos. Rev. J. H. Harmon preached on the topic "Conversion." Service tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

### To Salt Lake City—

Geo. Sanders, manager of the Oregon-Utah Sugar company and the Rogue River Public Service corporation, will leave tonight for Salt Lake city, to be absent for several days upon business for his enterprises.

### Englewood Dairy, Phone 222—

The pure milk dairy. 692tf.

### Legislative Club Meeting—

The Josephine County Legislative Club for Women will meet at the court house Friday afternoon, at three o'clock. The subject for special discussion will be the proposition of affiliating with the Southern Oregon Federation of Women's Clubs. A full attendance is requested.

### Yes, Yes—

I am going to the union revival at the Baptist church tonight at 7:30.

### Rebekahs Go To Roseburg—

The degree staff of Etna Rebekah lodge of this city has accepted an invitation to put on the initiatory work at the meeting of the grand lodge, which will be held in Roseburg commencing May 16. The team is composed of 24 members and musicians, under the leadership of Mrs. J. F. Burke, who has been leader for many years past.

### Clark & Holman, Undertakers—

Licensed embalmers. Phone 50 if

### Ship body to Vancouver—

W. J. Manning, who was injured by a cave-in at the McKenzie mine on Briggs creek last week, passed away in the morning of the day following the accident. The remains were taken over the trail 14 miles to Galice, and by conveyance to Merlin where they were shipped to Vancouver, B. C., where his wife and two daughters live. He is survived also by one son, now with the Canadian troops in the European war.

### To the Public—

In keeping with the prevailing custom, the banks of Grants Pass will close at noon on Saturdays, beginning with the first of April. The First National Bank of Southern Oregon, by H. L. Glick, cashier; Josephine County Bank, by Sam H. Baker, cashier; Grants Pass Banking Company, by Marshall Hooper, cashier. 3-24-2t

### Big Derrick Arrives—

The big derrick for the hoisting of the steel and heavy machinery into place in the sugar factory buildings arrived from the east last night, and will be placed in position at once at the factory site. This derrick, in common with the most of the equipment which the Dyer company is sending here for use in the erection of the sugar plant, is new, being specially ordered for this job, and with the success of the sugar industry here will no doubt be maintained in southern Oregon for use in building other factories.



### Candidates for Justice—

Justice of the Peace Holman is a candidate for republican nomination and petitions are also being circulated in the interests of M. H. Shinn.

### Hair Gets Farm Tractor—

The Rogue River Hardware company yesterday delivered to John B. Hair, of Rogue River, an International mogul 8-18 tractor, the first of this kind in southern Oregon. Mr. Hair will use the machine for orchard cultivation and plowing, and also for power to run irrigation pump, ensilage cutter, etc.

### Blaze in Vacant House—

A small blaze in the roof of an unoccupied house on Foundry street adjoining the iron and steel works called out the fire department this afternoon about 2 o'clock. The blaze had evidently been caused by either boys playing about the premises or hoboes who had been about the premises. This is the second fire at this place, the blaze in both instances being quenched before serious damage had been wrought.

### 10,000 MERSEY RIVER DOCK HANDS STRIKE

Liverpool, Mar. 29.—Ten thousand Mersey river dock hands struck today, following a dispute regarding pay for overtime. The disturbance threatens to interfere seriously with trans-Atlantic shipping.

Old papers, for starting fires. 5c per bundle. Courier office.

## Bijou Tonight

"And the Raven, never sitting, still is sitting, still is sitting:  
And his eyes have all the seeming of a demon's that is dreaming."

## You should see "The Raven"

—Because Edgar Allen Poe is generally recognized, especially abroad, as America's greatest literary genius.

—Because "The Raven" is his greatest literary masterpiece.

—Because Henry Walthall is without question the greatest screen artist in the world. His work as leading man in "The Birth of a Nation" assures that.

—Because this masterful production is the combined work of George Hazleton, his biographer, and Chas. J. Brabin, who spent more than a year in preparing this photoplay.

—Because the life of Poe is one of the strangest and most discussed of American literary men. The Poe of Love and Romance, The Poe of Poetry and Song, The Poe of Desolation and Death. Certainly a mighty vehicle for Henry Walthall's wonderful talent.

—Because Henry Walthall is the image of Poe in personality and temperament, and his characterization of the life of Poe is one of the most powerful pieces of dramatic expression ever made.

—Because all of the resources of the immense Essanay organization, well realizing the task they were attempting, were employed in this picture.

—Because an all-star cast, including beautiful Warda Howard as "Lenore," is used in this photoplay.

—YOU SHOULD SEE "THE RAVEN" because it is one of the photoplay masterpieces of the day and a screen portrayal that you will never forget.

No Advance in Prices  
Come Early—Seats Are Limited  
10c and 15c

## A Little Overworked

Just now, in some respects, is the slogan about "safety first," but it will never grow stale or lose its force for those who

## Harness a Horse

A harness, like a chain, is no stronger than its weakest strap; and we see to it that the harness you get here has no weak straps.

### If You Have Harness Troubles

bring them to us. Our repair department spends a good deal of time looking for trouble.

## Grants Pass Hardware Co.

At Your Service

### LELAND

Walt Critzer and wife, who have been visiting relatives, returned Saturday to their home on Mule creek.

Wm. Light was busy gathering up the extra county tools in the Leland district Friday, and returned them to the county seat Saturday.

Jay Reed went to Salem last week and returned with his father.

Samuel Pettingill returned Tuesday from the east, where he has been visiting relatives since last summer.

The Mackin brothers received a carload of hay during the week.

E. R. Crouch was in our town Tuesday from the Copper King mine on upper Grave creek.

Phil Kelley, of Reuben, spent Wednesday in Leland visiting friends.

Rev. Mr. Gloeckner was in our vicinity during the week and had church in the school house. We wish it would be so he could come oftener.

Allen Reed's funeral was held Monday, and the burial was in the Pleasant Valley cemetery.

John Maloney, of Wolf Creek, was in Leland Saturday on business.

### DIXIE

Guy Thompson met with a painful accident Wednesday evening by being thrown from a horse, striking a stump with his neck and side, breaking one rib, spraining his wrist and scratching him up generally.

Mrs. Louis Lucke called at the Dixie ranch Friday afternoon.

There was no Sunday school Sunday, on account of the rain.

Mrs. W. V. DeArmond and her mother-in-law were in town Saturday.

### MAN JUMPS INTO THE BAY TO END TROUBLES

Seattle, Mar. 29.—Cornered by pursuers after he had, probably fatally wounded John Holmes, a foreman at the Seattle Construction & Dry Dock company, John Ross, a shipjoiner, jumped into Elliott bay after being wounded in the hip by a revolver shot fired by Police Sergeant Wm. F. Donlan this morning, and deliberately drowned himself.

Donlan reached the waters edge a minute after Ross jumped, and yelled to him: "Keep your head up."

With business like precision, determined upon the exact course he wanted to take, Ross opened his mouth and took in great gulps of the salt water. Before any one could reach him he sank and drowned. His body was quickly recovered. Ross is survived by a widow and six small children.

Following an argument with two fellow workers yesterday afternoon, Ross asked Holmes to discharge them this morning. Holmes refused. Ross returned to Holmes's office and shot him through the neck which Holmes's back was turned.

### GERMANS TAKE PRISONERS AND TRENCHES AT VERDUN

Berlin, Mar. 29.—Several lines of trenches north of Malancourt, ten miles northeast of Verdun, have been captured by Germans, it was officially announced.

The German charge netted 498 prisoners and smashed the French front for a distance of 2,000 yards. This gain on the west is the most important in two weeks and imperils the French salient between Bathincourt and Malancourt.

Russian attempts to reconquer positions south of Narocz were repulsed. German airmen showered bombs on Russian railway depots, wrecking them and demolishing large quantities of supplies.

## BANDITS TRY TO ROB SEATTLE BANK

Seattle, Mar. 29.—Two auto bandits made a bold attempt to rob the King County State bank, in the heart of the University district here, shortly after noon today. They escaped through a crowd of bewildered students after Assistant Cashier Nordquist failed to hold up his hands, and held a revolver at the chauffeurs head while he drove them away.

The machine, carrying three men, stopped in front of the bank. One of the men, about 40 years of age, walked into the bank. He pulled a gun on Assistant Cashier Nordquist, who instantly ducked beneath the counter and pressed an alarm button.

"Come up or I'll shoot," shouted the bandit. Nordquist kept under the counter. He grasped a gun, but did not shoot because he feared the robber would open fire on a girl employed in the bank.

The bandit heard the alarm bell ringing in a hardware store next door. A crowd of students began to gather outside the window. Prompted by a sudden attack of "cold feet," the lone robber dashed out, jumped into the auto, and placing a gun against the driver's head ordered him to "get out of here quick."

A posse was made up and quickly started in pursuit of the robbers.

Dragon mini & laws, 40c. Courier office.

Local blanks. Courier office

### NEW TODAY

CLASSIFIED AD RATES.—25 words, two issues, 25c; six issues, 50c; one month, \$1.50, when paid in advance. When not paid in advance, 5c per line per issue.

MURPHY farm for sale, 73 acres 10 miles from Grants Pass, on banks of Applegate river, some bottom land, much upland under ditch, with water right. Address No. 615, care Courier. 707tf.

PIANO, good make of instrument, for sale cheap, on account of owner leaving city. Address No. 615 care Courier, or call at 804 North 5th. 620.

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER, Masonic Temple. Office phone 174-J, residence 341-R. Miss Harris. 732

## Not Even

at the STAR theater may one frequently see a greater offering than "The Final Judgment," with Ethel Barrymore, and a brilliant galaxy of genuine artists.

—"The Final Judgment" played last night to a completely filled house, and many persons were unable to secure seats.

—"The Final Judgment" will be repeated tonight, when three performances will be given if necessary, so that no one shall be disappointed.

—"The acting of H. Cooper Cliff as the chemist was a delight to the older generation and a revelation to the younger generation of last night's audience.

—"In addition to "The Final Judgment," the Star's program tonight includes the Fourth chapter of "The Girl and the Game," the thrilling railroad story, with Helen Holmes, Maloney, the brave engineer, may become as famous as "Casey Jones."

—First performance 7:30 o'clock. Seven reels. Admission five and 15 cents.

"The Raven" at the Bijou